

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/550,386  
Applicant : Marcus Hartvigsson  
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Title : FILTER SYSTEM FOR A HOUSEHOLD DISHWASHER  
TC/A.U. : 1792  
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Examiner : David G. Cormier  
  
Docket No. : ABE-38790  
Customer No. : 00116

**Amendment B**

In response to the Office action of July 13, 2009, please amend the above identified application as follows. The three-month shortened period of time for responding to the Office Action expires on October 13, 2009.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.